## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Inventor(s)

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Title

ABSORBENT INTERLABIAL DEVICE

## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Commissioner for Patents

P. O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above-identified application.

The requested extension and fee are as follows:

[X] One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1)

\$110.00

Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2)

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Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3)

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The Director is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 16-2480.

Respectfully submitted,

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